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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

OF

GERTRUDE ROBERTA EDMONDSON MERRITT

I, GERTRUDE ROBERTA EDMONDSON MERRITT, a legal resident of TENNESSEE, now residing at 1729 16th AVENUE NORTH, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE 37208, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, coercion or undue influence of any person whomsoever and intending to dispose of my entire estate, do make, publish and declare this instrument as my LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, hereby revoking all wills, testaments and codicils previously made by me.

FIRST. I direct that all my just debts and the expenses of my last illness, funeral and burial be paid as soon after my death as may be practicable.

SECOND. I give, devise and bequeath to my beloved friend, ROBERT WALKER, an estate for life in my real property at 1729 16th AVENUE NORTH, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, the remainder to my heirs and devisees in the manner as set forth in paragraph THIRD and FOURTH hereunder. Said life estate shall terminate on the death of said ROBERT WALKER, or prior to his death in the event that the said ROBERT WALKER shall cease to reside in and upon the said premises for a period of 90 days, or shall let or lease the said premises, or commit waste thereon, or fail to protect the said premises from forfeiture. During said life estate, said remaindermen may enter said premises to prevent waste or to repair or maintain same.

THIRD. Subject to paragraph SECOND, I give, devise and bequeath all of my estate and property of which I may be seized or possessed or to which I may be entitled to at the time of my death, wherever situated or of whatever nature, be it real, personal or mixed, including lapsed legacies and any property over which I may have a power of appointment,

to my beloved son, WILLIAM ERNEST MERRITT and my beloved granddaughter, DORIS JEANNE MERRITT TAYLOR, or the survivor of them as their, his or her sole and absolute property if they, he or she shall survive me.

FOURTH. Subject to paragraph SECOND, and in the event my said son and granddaughter shall not survive me, I give, devise and bequeath all of my estate and property, absolutely and forever to my sister, LINDA LILLIAN ANDERSON, now residing at 1418 IRELAND STREET, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE 37208. Except as otherwise provided in this, my LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, I have intentionally omitted to provide herein for any other relatives or for any other person, whether claiming to be an heir of mine or not.

FIFTH. I hereby appoint my granddaughter, DORIS JEANNE MERRITT TAYLOR, of 1542 WINDCHIME DRIVE, DALLAS, TEXAS 75224, as Executrix of this my LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, to serve without bond or surety thereon and without the intervention of any court or courts, except as required by law; I hereby authorize and empower my said Executrix in her absolute discretion, to sell, exchange, convey, transfer, assign, mortgage, pledge, lease or rent the whole or any part of my real or personal estate, to invest, reinvest or retain investments of my said estate and to perform all acts and to execute all documents which my said Executrix may deem necessary, convenient or proper in regard to my property; in the event that she shall predecease me or shall for any reason refuse to or be unable to serve or to continue serving as Executrix hereof, then I hereby appoint my son, WILLIAM ERNEST MERRITT, of BLDG 602, FORT BAKER, CALIFORNIA 94965, as Executor in her stead, to serve without bond or surety and with the same powers and authority.

SIXTH. Wherever in this my LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT it is provided that any person shall benefit hereunder if such person shall survive me, such person shall be deemed not to have survived me if he or she shall die (within thirty (30) days after my death) or in a common disaster with me, or under such circumstances that it is difficult or impossible to determine which of us died first.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have at Nashville,
this 25th day of Nov., 1978, set my hand and seal
to this my LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, consisting of 3 typewritten
pages, this included, the preceding page hereof bearing my signature.

Carri Galloway (SEAL)

My Commission Expires Jan. 20, 1981

The foregoing instrument, consisting of 3 typewritten pages, this
included, was at Nashville, Tenn., this 25 day
of Nov., 1978, signed, sealed, published and declared
by Gertrude Roberts Williamson, the above-named Testat(or)(rix) to
be (his)(her) LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT in the presence of all of us at
one time, and at the same time we, at (his)(her) request and in (his)(her)
presence and in the presence of each other, hereunto subscribe our names
as attesting witnesses, and we do verily believe that the said Testat(or)(rix)
is of sound and disposing mind and memory at the date hereof.

NAME	ADDRESS
Gladys C. Martin	2415-18th Ave. No. Nashville, Tn.
Judyth M. Nuvani	2415-18th Ave. No.
Larry P. Walker	2101 Rock Creek Apt 5A Bowling Green, Ky.

IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

IN RE:

PROBATE WITHOUT ADMINISTRATION OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF:

GERTRUDE ROBERTA EDMONDSON MERRITT, DECEASED.

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NO. _____

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTESTING WITNESS TO LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

STATE OF TENNESSEE)
)
COUNTY OF DAVIDSON)

JUDYTH M. NWANI JONES, being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says:

1. That I was acquainted with Gertrude Roberta Edmondson Merritt, who executed a Last Will and Testament, consisting of three (3) typewritten pages, dated the 25th day of November, 1978, on that date at Nashville, Tennessee;

2. That me and the other subscribing witnesses, Gladys E. Martin, now deceased, and Larry P. Walker, subscribed our names to the Will in the presence of the Testatrix, and in the presence of each other;

3. That the subscribing witnesses, Larry P. Walker, is a non-resident of Davidson County, Tennessee and is unavailable;

4. That at the time of subscribing said Will, Gertrude Roberta Edmondson Merritt, deceased, declared the instrument so executed by her to be her Last Will and Testament, and we thereupton signed our names as witnesses at the end of said instrument at her request and in her presence, and in the presence of each other;

5. That at the time of executing said Will, Gertrude Roberta Edmondson Merritt, deceased, was over the age of eighteen (18) years, and in my opinion, was of sound mind, memory and understanding, and not under any restraint or in any respect incompetent to make a Will;

6. That this Affidavit is made at the request of Doris Jeanne Merritt Taylor, the named Executrix ins aid Last Will and Testament;

7. That said Last Will and Testament was examined by the undersigned witness at the time this Affidavit was made; and

FURTHER AFFIANT SAITH NOT.

Judyth M. Nwani Jones
JUDYTH M. NWANI JONES

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of July, 1995.

Beverly M. Hobbs
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires: 5-23-98

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DAVIDSON COUNTY, TN.

STATE OF TENNESSEE, DAVIDSON COUNTY

I Richard R. Rooker, Clerk of the Probate Court of Davidson County, State aforesaid, do certify that the foregoing is a full, true and complete copy, of the original on file in my office. Will Book 391 1/ Page 255
Given under my hand and official seal, at office, in Nashville, this 12 of July 19 95.

RICHARD R. ROOKER, CLERK

By Kay Y. Dickson
Deputy Clerk

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